

HYMN TO OLD GLORY

"THE STAR SPANGLED FLAG OF THE FREE"

—SONG—

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*Then float on forever, oh, Star-Spangled 'Banner,
A new birth of freedom has glorified thee;
By Washington founded, by Lincoln safe-guarded,
We hail thee, Old Glory, the flag of the free.*

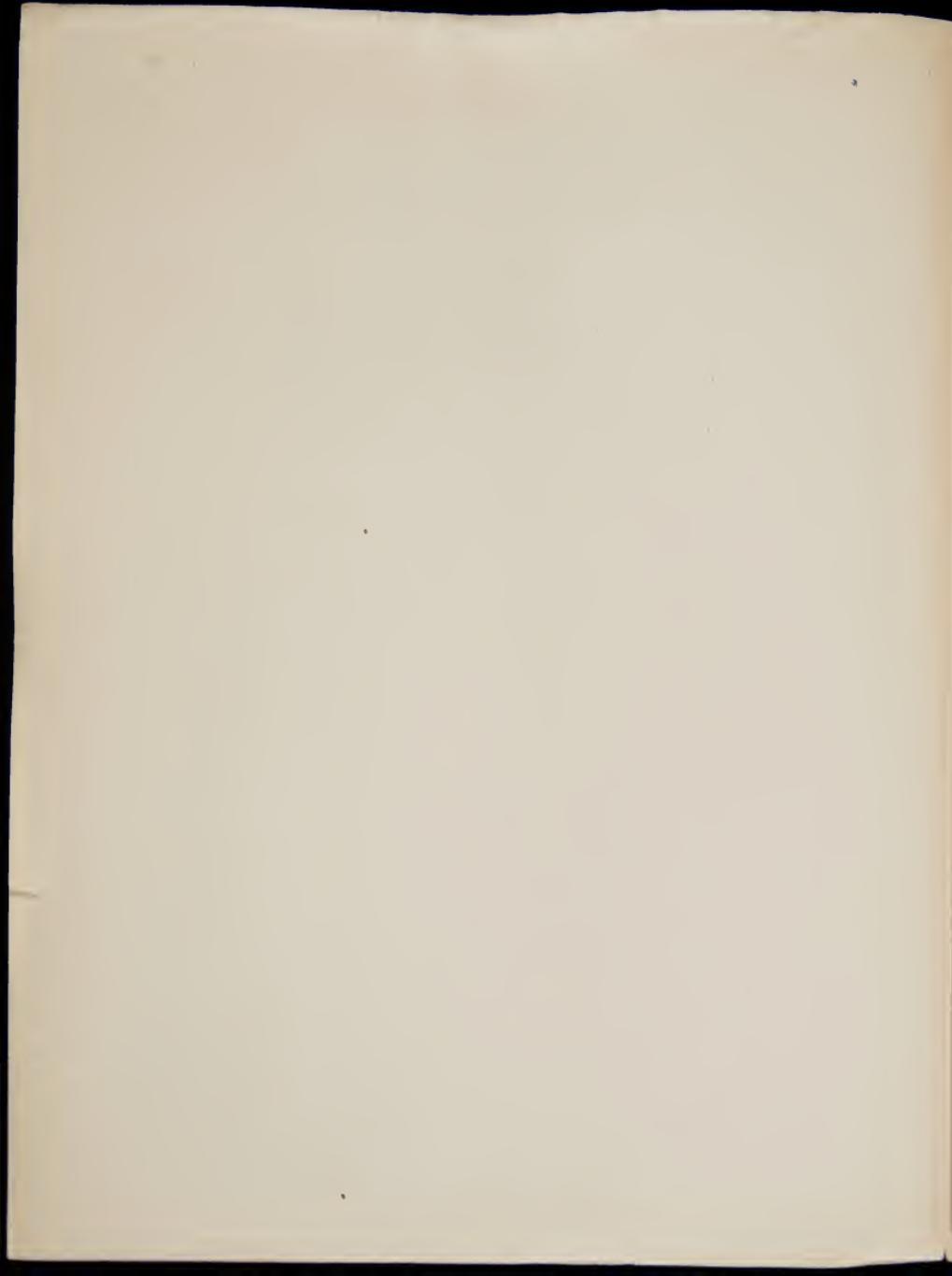
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f Macstaso.

1. Our fore - fa - thers, bur-dened by tyr - an - ny's thrall-dom, A - rose in their
2. Then float on for - ev - er, oh, Star-Spang-led Ban-ner, A new birth of
3. Oh, clus - ter - ing stars in the bright field of az - ure, A sym - bol of

might and re - solved to be free; With Wash - ing-ton's spir - it and coun - sel to
free - dom has glo - ri - fied thee; By Wash - ing-ton found-ed, by Lin - coln safe-
u - ni - fied love and good-will, With free - dom of pur - pose and thought law - a-

guide them, Old Glo - ry was raised o'er the land and the sea. Old Glo - ry, in
guard - ed, We hail thee, Old Glo - ry, the flag of the free. Proud em - blem of
bid - ing, Old Glo - ry re - splen-dent, thy mis - sion ful - fill, Oh, bright, star-ry

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la - ter years rent by dis - sen - sion, With broth - er 'gainst broth - er in
lib - er - ty, jus - tice and hon - or, Our love and al - le - giance we
ban - ner, A - mer - i - ca's en - sign, Now float - ing o'er isles of the



poco rit.

a tempo.

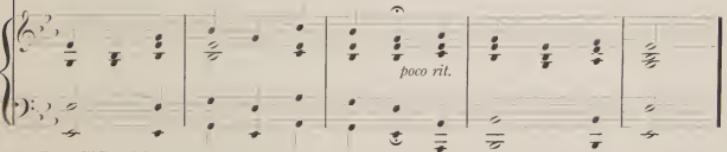


bat - tie ar - ray, By Lin - coln's de - vo - tion re - stored to new
pledge thee a - new. May God in his wis - dom pro - tect thee and
O - ri - ent Sea, Where mil - lions a - dore thee, love, hon - or and



poco rit.

splen - dor, Now floats o'er a peo - ple u - nit - ed for aye,
keep thee, Our stan - dard for - ev - er, brave red, white and blue.
cher - ish, Old Glo - ry, the Star - Span - gled Flag of the Free.



CHORUS.

f a tempo.

Then hail to Old Glo - ry, our Star-Span-gled Ban - ner, Proud em - blem of

free - dom by free - men un - furled! At home or a - broad, on the

land or the o - cean, 'Tis lib - er - ty's stand ard, the light of the world.

ff ritard.

ff ritard.

